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/ HAZARDOUS MAT'L MANAGER

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----PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION-----PRODUCT NAME: TOLUENE

COMMON NAMES/SYNONYMS: TOLUOL; METHYL BENZENE

CAS NO.: 108-88-3 VW&R CODE: T1236

FORMULA: C7 H8
PARD RATING (NFPA 49)
HEALTH: 2

RD KELTH: FIRE: REACTIVITY: SPECIAL: NONE DATE ISSUED: 08/87 SUPERCEDES: 03/87 HAZARD RATING SCALE: O=MINIMAL 3=SERIOUS 1=SLIGHT 4=SEVERE

2=MODERATE

-----HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS-----

COMPONENT TOLUENE

EXPOSURE LIMITS, PPM OSHA ACGIH OTHER PEL TLV LIMIT >99 200 100 OSHA:

HAZARD FLAMMABLE 300 PPM CEILING 500 PPM MAXIMUM FOR 10 MIN

ACGIH 150 PPM STEL

-----PHYSICAL PROPERTIES-----

BOILING POINT, DEG F: 231
MELTING POINT, DEG F: -195
SPECIFIC GRAVITY (WATER=1): 0.87
APPEARANCE AND ODOR: COLOR- EVAL
LESS, CLEAR LIGUID; AROMATIC ODOR

VAPOR PRESSURE, MM HG/20 DEG C: 22 VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1): 3.2 .87 WATER SOLUBILITY, %: 0.05 EVAPORATION RATE (BUTYL ACETATE=1): 2.0

----FIRST AID MEASURES-----

IF INHALED: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION IF NOT BREATHING. GET IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION.

IN CASE OF EYE CONTACT: IMMEDIATELY FLUSH EYES WITH LOTS OF RUNNING WATER FOR 15 MINUTES, LIFTING THE UPPER AND LOWER EYELIDS OCCASIONALLY. GET IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION.

CASE OF SKIN CONTACT: IMMEDIATELY WASH SKIN WITH LOTS OF SOAP AND

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WATER. REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES; WASH BEFORE REUSE. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IF IRRITATION PERSISTS AFTER WASHING.

SWALLOWED: DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. GET IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION. VOMITING OCCURS SPONTANEOUSLY, KEEP VICTIM'S HEAD BELOW HIS HIPS TO PREVENT HIS BREATHING THE VOMITUS INTO HIS LUNGS.

-----HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION------

PRIMARY ROUTES OF EXPOSURE: INHALATION, SKIN OR EYE CONTACT.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

INHALATION: VAPORS AND MISTS IRRITATE MUCOUS MEMBRANES. INHAL—
ATION OF HIGHER CONCENTRATIONS MAY CAUSE HEADACHES, NAUSEA, VOMITING,
AND COMA. INHALATION OF VERY HIGH CONCENTRATIONS OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE
MAY CAUSE UNCONSCIOUSNESS.
EXPOSURES AT CONCENTRATIONS UP TO 200 PPM GENERALLY PRODUCE NO SYMPTOMS.
AT 200-500 PPM, HEADACHE, NAUSEA, EYE IRRITATION, LOSS OF APPETITE, A
BAD TASTE, LASSITUDE, IMPAIRMENT OF COORDINATION AND REACTION TIME ARE
REPORTED, BUT ARE NOT USUALLY ACCOMPANIED BY ANY LABORATORY OR PHYSICAL
FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE. WITH HIGHER CONCENTRATIONS, THE ABOVE
COMPLAINTS ARE INCREASED AND, IN ADDITION, ANEMIA, LEUCOPENIA, AND ENLARGED LIVER MAY BE FOUND IN RARE CASES.

EYE CONTACT: LIQUID IS SEVERELY IRRITATING.

SKIN CONTACT: BRIEF CONTACT MAY DRY THE SKIN. PROLONGED OR RE-PEATED CONTACT MAY IRRITATE THE SKIN, CAUSING DERMATITIS.

SWALLOWED: SWALLOWING THE LIQUID MAY RESULT IN VOMITING. IF VOMITING OCCURS SPONTANEOUSLY, DO NOT ALLOW VOMITUS TO BE BREATHED INTO THE LUNGS AS EVEN A SMALL QUANTITY IN THE LUNGS MAY RESULT IN CHEMICAL PNEUMONITIS AND PULMONARY EDEMA/HEMORRHAGE.

CHRONIC EFFECTS OF EXPOSURE: PROLONGED OR REPEATED EXPOSURE TO HIGH CONCENTRATIONS MAY CAUSE LOSS OF APPETITE, NOSE BLEEDS, AND LIVER, KIDNEY, AND NEURAL DYSFUNCTION.

ICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: PRE-EXISTING EYE, SKIN, AND RESPIRATORY DISORDERS.

-----TOXICITY DATA-----

ORAL: LD50 RAT = 5 G/KG

DERMAL: LD50 RABBIT = 14 G/KG

INHALATION: LC50 RAT = 8,000 PPM/4 HR

CARCINOGENICITY: THIS MATERIAL IS NOT CONSIDERED TO BE A CARCINOGEN BY THE NATIONAL TOXICOLOGY PROGRAM, THE INTERNATIONAL AGENCY FOR RESEARCH ON CANCER, OR THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

OTHER DATA: WHILE THERE IS NO EVIDENCE THAT INDUSTRIALLY ACCEPTABLE LEVELS OF TOLUENE VAPORS (THE PEL OR TLV) HAVE PRODUCED CARDIAC EFFECTS IN HUMANS, ANIMAL STUDIES HAVE SHOWN THAT INHALATION OF HIGH LEVELS OF TOLUENE PRODUCED CARDIAC SENSITIZATION. SUCH SENSITIZATION MAY CAUSE FATAL CHANGES IN HEART RHYTHMS. THIS LATTER EFFECT WAS SHOWN TO BE ENHANCED BY HYPOXIA OR THE INJECTION OF ADRENALIN-LIKE AGENTS. RATS EXPOSED TO 1400 PPM OR 1200 PPM OF TOLUENE FOR 14 HR/DAY FOR 4 OR 5 WEEKS (RESPECTIVELY) EXHIBITED HIGH FREQUENCY HEARING DEFICITS. THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS INFORMATION TO MAN IS UNKNOWN.

----PERSONAL PROTECTION-----

VENTILATION: LOCAL MECHANICAL EXHAUST VENTILATION CAPABLE OF MAINTAINING EMISSIONS AT THE POINT OF USE BELOW THE PEL.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: IF USE CONDITIONS GENERATE VAPORS OR MISTS, WEAR A NIOSH-APPROVED RESPIRATOR APPROPRIATE FOR THOSE EMISSION LEVELS. APPROPRIATE RESPIRATORS MAY BE A FULL FACEPIECE OR A HALF MASK AIR-

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PURIFYING CARTRIDGE RESPIRATOR EQUIPPED FOR ORGANIC VAPORS/MISTS, A SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS IN THE PRESSURE DEMAND MODE, OR A PPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR.

EVE PROTECTION: CHEMICAL GOGGLES UNLESS A FULL FACEPIECE RESPIRATOR IS ALSO WORN. IT IS GENERALLY RECOGNIZED THAT CONTACT LENSES SHOULD NOT BY WORN WHEN WORKING WITH CHEMICALS BECAUSE CONTACT LENSES MAY CONTRIBUTE TO THE SEVERITY OF AN EYE INJURY.

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: LONG-SLEEVED SHIRT, TROUSERS, SAFETY SHOES, RUBBER GLOVES, AND RUBBER APRON.

OTHER PROTECTIVE MEASURES: AN EYEWASH AND SAFETY SHOWER SHOULD BE NEARBY AND READY FOR USE.

------FIRE AND EXPLOSION INFORMATION-----

FLASH POINT, DEG F: 40 FLAMMABLE LIMITS IN AIR, % METHOD USED: TCC LOWER: 1.2 UPPER: 7.6 EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: USE WATER SPRAY, DRY CHEMICAL, FOAM, OR CO2. DO NOT USE A DIRECT WATER STREAM.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: FIRE FIGHTERS SHOULD WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. USE WATER SPRAY TO COOL NEARBY CONTAINERS AND STRUCTURES EXPOSED TO FIRE.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: AVOID ACCUMULATION OF WATER BECAUSE THIS PRODUCT WILL FLOAT ON WATER AND MAY REIGNITE ON THE SURFACE OF THE WATER

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: EXTINGUISH ALL NEARBY SOURCES OF IGNITION.

-----HAZARDOUS REACTIVITY------

STABILITY: STABLE POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR CONDITIONS TO AVOID: HEAT, SPARKS, AND OPEN FLAMES.

TERIALS TO AVOID: OXIDIZING MATERIALS.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: MAY LIBERATE CARBON MONOXIDE, CARBON DIOXIDE, AND UNIDENTIFIED ORGANIC COMPOUNDS IN BLACK SMOKE.

-----SPILL, LEAK, AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES-------

ACTION TO TAKE FOR SPILLS OR LEAKS: WEAR PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT INCLUDING RUBBER BOOTS, RUBBER GLOVES, RUBBER APRON, AND A SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS IN THE PRESSURE DEMAND MODE OR A SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR. IF THE SPILL OR LEAK IS SMALL, A FULL FACEPIECE AIR-PURIFYING CARTRIDGE RESPIRATOR EQUIPPED FOR ORGANIC VAPORS MAY BE SATISFACTORY. IN ANY EVENT, ALWAYS WEAR EYE PROTECTION. EXTINGUISH ALL IGNITION SOURCES AND ENSURE THAT ALL HANDLING EQUIPMENT IS ELECTRICALLY GROUNDED. FOR SMALL SPILLS OR DRIPS, MOP OR WIPE UP AND DISPOSE OF IN DOT-APPROVED WASTE CONTAINERS. FOR LARGE SPILLS, CONTAIN BY DIKING WITH SOIL OR OTHER NON-COMBUSTIBLE ABSORBENT MATERIALS AND THEN PUMP INTO DOT-APPROVED WASTE CONTAINERS; OR ABSORB WITH NON-COMBUSTIBLE SORBENT MATERIAL, PLACE RESIDUE IN DOT-APPROVED WASTE CONTAINERS. KEEP OUT OF SEWERS, STORM DRAINS, SURFACE WATERS, AND SOIL. COMPLY WITH ALL APPLICABLE GOVERNMENTAL REGULATIONS ON SPILL REPORTING, AND HANDLING AND DISPOSAL OF WASTE.

DISPOSAL METHODS: DISPOSE OF CONTAMINATED PRODUCT AND MATERIALS USED IN CLEANING UP SPILLS OR LEAKS IN A MANNER APPROVED FOR THIS MATERIAL. CONSULT APPROPRIATE FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL REGULATORY AGENCIES TO ASCERTAIN PROPER DISPOSAL PROCEDURES.
NOTE: EMPTY CONTAINERS CAN HAVE RESIDUES, GASES AND MISTS AND ARE SUBJECT TO PROPER WASTE DISPOSAL, AS ABOVE.

-----SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS-----

PANDLING AND STORAGE PRECAUTIONS: KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT, SPARKS, AND

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FLAMES. STORE IN A COOL, DRY, WELL-VENTILATED PLACE AWAY FROM INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS. VENT CONTAINER FREQUENTLY, AND MORE OFTEN IN WARM WEATHER, TO RELIEVE PRESSURE. ELECTRICALLY GROUND ALL EQUIPMENT WHEN NOLING THIS PRODUCT AND USE ONLY NON-SPARKING TOOLS. KEEP CONTAINER SHILY CLOSED WHEN NOT IN USE. DO NOT USE PRESSURE TO EMPTY CONTAINER. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING. DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN, OR ON CLOTHING.

REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE PRECAUTIONS: DO NOT CUT, GRIND, WELD, OR DRILL ON OR NEAR THIS CONTAINER.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: CONTAINERS, EVEN THOSE THAT HAVE BEEN EMPTIED, RETAIN PRODUCT RESIDUE AND VAPORS. ALWAYS OBEY HAZARD WARNINGS AND HANDLE EMPTY CONTAINERS AS IF THEY WERE FULL.

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08/87: REPORTED ADDITIONAL PERSONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS.

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